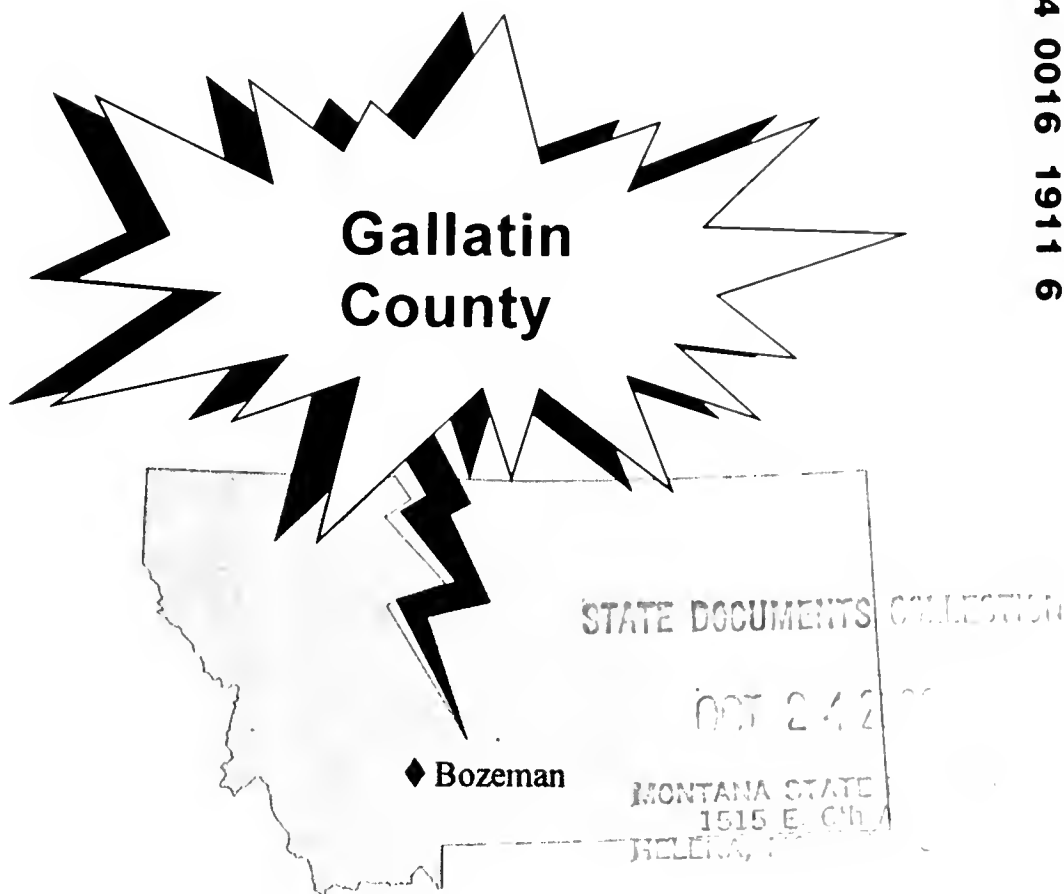


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## Cities and Towns in Gallatin County

Amsterdam	◆	Belgrade	◆	Big Sky	◆	Bozeman
Bozeman Hot Springs	◆	Clarkston	◆	Churchill	◆	Gallatin Gateway
Logan	◆	Lombard	◆	Manhattan	◆	Maudlow
Three Forks	◆	Trident	◆	West Yellowstone	◆	Willow Creek

The most current county-by-county information can be found in our quarterly publication *Employment and Labor Force Trends*. And most of our information is on the Internet at <http://jsd.dli.mt.gov/lmi/lmi.htm>. In addition, we'll do our best to provide information in accessible format, on request, in compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act.

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# Gallatin County

Located in southern Montana, Gallatin County is Montana's fifth most populous with 50,463 residents, according to the 1990 Census.

Bozeman, the county seat, is the state's sixth largest city with a population of 22,660. The city is located in the fertile Gallatin Valley and 90 miles northwest of Yellowstone National Park. Bozeman is home to Montana State University and the Museum of the Rockies. It's a major agricultural and recreation area surrounded by mountains and national forests. According to the *Montana Almanac*, by authors Andrea Merrill and Judy Jacobson, the county was established in 1865 and was one of the original nine counties established by the Territory of Montana.

According to the U.S. Bureau of the Census, median income for Gallatin County households in 1989 was \$23,345. The county is 2,532.7 square miles in area; 2,506.9 square miles in land area and 25.8 in inland water area.

County residents experience the four distinct seasons. Average normal monthly temperatures, for example in Bozeman, range from an average high of 32.7 degrees above in January to 81.1 above in August. The *Montana Almanac* shows the annual average precipitation in Bozeman in 1994 was 17.77 inches and the length of growing season 155 days.

Top 20 Private Employers In Gallatin County		
Listed In Alphabetical Order		
Big R	Costco	Martel Construction
Big Sky Carvers	Dana Design Ltd.	McDonald's
Big Sky of Montana	Gibson Guitar	Perkins
Bozeman Deaconess Hospital	Kenyon Noble	Video Lottery Consultants
Bridger Bowl	KMart	Video Lottery Technologies
Capital Opportunities Inc.	Life-Link International	Wal-Mart
Career Concepts	Louisiana Pacific	

Source. Montana Department of Labor & Industry, Office of Research & Analysis.  
Fourth Quarter 1997 Unemployment Insurance Information.  
This list includes ONLY private industry employers subject to Unemployment Insurance. Railroads and city, county, state and federal government agencies (including public school districts and universities) are excluded.

## Gallatin County Population

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census

Area	7/1/97 Estimate	7/1/96 Estimate	4/1/90 Census	% Change '90 to '97	% Change '90 to '96
Montana	878,810	876,684	799,065	10.0%	9.7%
Gallatin County	61,111	60,157	50,463	21.1%	19.2%
Belgrade	Not Available	4,846	3,422	Not Available	41.6%
Bozeman	Not Available	28,522	22,660	Not Available	25.9%
Manhattan	Not Available	1,380	1,034	Not Available	33.5%
Three Forks	Not Available	1,481	1,203	Not Available	23.1%
West Yellowstone	Not Available	1,069	913	Not Available	17.1%

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64	Insurance Agents, Brokers & Service	2
78	Motion Pictures	2
81	Legal Services	2
89	Services, Not Elsewhere Classified	2
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2	Agricultural Production-Livestock & Animal Specialties	1
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24	Lumber & Wood Products, Except Furniture	1
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Source: Montana Department of Labor & Industry, Office of Research & Analysis.

\*SIC Code: Standard Industrial Classification Code.

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Does not include businesses which had a change in ownership.

Annual Average Labor Force For Gallatin County				
Year	Civilian Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate
1970	13,689	13,317	372	2.7%
1971	14,061	13,659	402	2.9%
1972	15,162	14,713	449	3.0%
1973	16,251	15,693	558	3.4%
1974	17,530	16,769	761	4.3%
1975	17,667	16,608	1,059	6.0%
1976	18,558	17,616	942	5.1%
1977	17,948	17,079	869	4.8%
1978	19,681	18,721	960	4.9%
1979	19,834	18,944	890	4.5%
1980	19,906	18,680	1,226	6.2%
1981	21,022	19,865	1,157	5.5%
1982	22,567	21,147	1,420	6.3%
1983	23,541	22,029	1,512	6.4%
1984	25,415	24,190	1,225	4.8%
1985	26,144	24,815	1,329	5.1%
1986	26,447	24,872	1,575	6.0%
1987	26,016	24,513	1,503	5.8%
1988	25,574	24,389	1,185	4.6%
1989	26,786	25,775	1,011	3.8%
1990	28,667	27,306	1,361	4.7%
1991	30,018	28,385	1,633	5.4%
1992	31,969	30,237	1,732	5.4%
1993	33,247	31,730	1,517	4.6%
1994	33,858	33,087	771	2.3%
1995	36,091	35,121	970	2.7%
1996	37,980	37,018	962	2.5%
1997	39,360	38,197	1,163	3.0%

Source: Montana Department of Labor & Industry, Office of Research & Analysis (1998 Benchmark)

## Resources

### ⇒ Chambers of Commerce:

Belgrade Chamber, P O Box 1126, Belgrade, MT 59714, 406-388-1616  
 Big Sky Chamber, P O Box 160100, Big Sky, MT 59716, 406-995-3000  
 Bozeman Chamber, P O Box B, Bozeman, MT 59711-0046, 406-586-5421  
 Manhattan Area Chamber, P O Box 606, Manhattan, MT 59741, 406-284-6242  
 Three Forks Chamber, P O Box 1103, Three Forks, MT 59752, 406-285-4556  
 West Yellowstone Chamber, P O Box 458, West Yellowstone, MT 59758, 406-646-7701

### ⇒ Department of Labor and Industry

#### *Bozeman Job Service*

121 N. Willson, Bozeman, MT 59715, 406-582-9200

#### *Montana Department of Labor & Industry's Office of Research & Analysis Publications*

For information on employment by industry, new businesses, labor market information, profile of the Montana worker, job projections to the year 2006 and hourly pay by occupation, contact the office at any of the numbers listed on the front of this publication

### ⇒ Housing Costs:

Gallatin Association of Realtors, 24 S. Willson, Bozeman, MT 59715, 406-587-0120

### ⇒ Internet:

Montana Job Service home page for job listings at <http://jsd.dli.mt.gov/>  
 Cities of Amsterdam, Belgrade, Big Sky, Bozeman, Gallatin Gateway (Gallatin), Manhattan, Three Forks and West Yellowstone Home Pages—Use the Search Utilities on the Internet to find home pages for Montana cities

### ⇒ Montana Motor Vehicle Division:

#### *Drivers' Licensing*

Bozeman—19 N. 10th Ave., 406-587-0461

### ⇒ Newspapers:

*High Country Independent Press*, 220 S. Broadway, Belgrade, MT 59714, 406-388-6762

*Lone Peak Lookout*, P O Box 160123, Big Sky, MT 59716, 406-995-4133

*Bozeman Daily Chronicle*, P O Box 1188, Bozeman, MT 59771, 406-587-4491

*Three Forks Herald*, P O Box 586, Three Forks, MT 59752, 406-285-3414

*West Yellowstone News*, P O Box 969, West Yellowstone, MT 59758, 406-646-9719

### ⇒ Public Libraries:

Belgrade Community Library, 106 N. Broadway, Belgrade, MT 59714-0929, 406-388-4346

Bozeman Public Library, 220 E. Lamme, Bozeman, MT 59715-3579, 406-582-2402

Manhattan Community Library, 100 S. R. E., Manhattan, MT 59741-0008, 406-284-6363

Three Forks Community Library, 121 2nd Ave. E., Three Forks, MT 59752-0175, 406-285-3747

West Yellowstone Public Library, 220 Yellowstone Ave., West Yellowstone, MT 59758-0370, 406-646-9017

### ⇒ Postsecondary Education Institutions:

#### *Montana University System*

Montana State University, Bozeman, MT 59717, 406-994-0211

#### *Independent Colleges*

Montana Bible College, P O Box 6070, Bozeman, MT 59771, 406-586-3585

### ⇒ Superintendent of Schools, Kindergarten through 12th Grade:

Amsterdam Elementary, 6360 Camp Creek Road, Manhattan, MT 59741, 406-282-7216

Anderson Elementary, 10040 Cottonwood Road, Bozeman, MT 59715, 406-587-1305

Belgrade Public Schools, P O Box 166, Belgrade, MT 59714, 406-388-6951

Bozeman Public Schools, P O Box 520, Bozeman, MT 59715, 406-585-1501

Cottonwood Elementary, 13233 Cottonwood Road, Bozeman, MT 59715, 406-586-8416

Gallatin Gateway Elementary, P O Box 265, Gallatin Gateway, MT 59730, 406-763-4415

LaMone Elementary, 841 Bear Canyon Road, Bozeman, MT 59715, 406-586-2838

Malmberg Elementary, 375 Jackson Creek Road, Bozeman, MT 59715, 406-587-3002

Manhattan Public Schools, P O Box 425, Manhattan, MT 59741-0425, 406-284-6460

Monforton Elementary, 6001 Monforton School Road, Bozeman, MT 59715, 406-586-1557

Ophir Elementary, 45465 Gallatin Road, Gallatin Gateway, MT 59730, 406-995-4281

Pass Creek Elementary, 3747 Pass Creek Road, Belgrade, MT 59714, 406-388-6364

Springhill Elementary, 6020 Springhill Comm Road, Belgrade, MT 59714, 406-388-4275

Three Forks Public Schools, 212 E. Neal, Three Forks, MT 59752, 406-285-6830

West Yellowstone Schools, Box 460, West Yellowstone, MT 59758, 406-646-7617

Willow Creek Public Schools, P O Box 189, Willow Creek, MT 59760, 406-285-6991

## Gallatin County Employment By Industry\*

### Annual Averages 1996

Industry	# of Establishments	Average Annual Employment	Annual Wages Paid	Industry	# of Establishments	Average Annual Employment	Annual Wages Paid
TOTAL ALL INDUSTRIES	2,949	28,547	\$566,332,035	Nonurable Goods	68	405	\$9,562,311
PRIVATE BUSINESS	2,837	22,734	\$418,728,514	RETAIL TRADE	641	7,518	\$99,598,111
AGRI, FORESTRY FISH	75	346	\$4,874,708	Bldg Materials-Garden	41	471	\$10,251,111
Agri Production/Crops	15	84	\$969,151	General Merchandise	11	718	\$10,507,111
Agri Production/Livestock	15	128	\$2,317,197	Food Stores	41	797	\$10,663,111
Agriculture Services	42	131	\$1,574,623	Auto Dealers-Service Stations	87	697	\$18,856,111
MINING	7	81	\$2,316,526	Apparel & Accessories	42	270	\$3,857,111
Metal Mining	3	33	\$1,062,178	Furniture Stores	63	369	\$7,138,111
Mining & Quarry Nonmetal	4	48	\$1,234,348	Eating & Drinking	196	3,087	\$25,026,111
CONSTRUCTION	449	1,631	\$43,318,704	Miscellaneous Retail	178	1,105	\$15,298,111
General Building	196	788	\$17,691,131	FINANCE, INSURANCE, REAL ESTATE	228	1,021	\$25,370,111
Heavy Construction	28	212	\$6,277,356	Banking	18	336	\$8,612,111
Special Trade	224	830	\$19,350,217	Credit Agencies	8	27	\$987,111
MANUFACTURING	161	2,508	\$54,025,449	Security & Commodity	14	57	\$4,046,111
Food Products	17	190	\$4,134,439	Insurance Carriers	19	86	\$2,411,111
Apparel	10	358	\$4,329,258	Insurance Agents	43	112	\$2,378,111
Lumber	30	411	\$9,853,284	Real Estate	120	378	\$6,258,111
Furniture	7	87	\$1,292,624	Holding & Investments	4	25	\$775,111
Printing-Publishing	19	271	\$5,802,729	SERVICES	998	7,010	\$127,029,111
Chemicals	3	31	\$532,039	Hotels & Lodging	100	1,581	\$22,074,111
Rubber-Miscellaneous Plastic	7	94	\$2,261,935	Personal Services	51	255	\$3,131,111
Stone-Clay-Glass	8	144	\$4,320,681	Business Services	115	682	\$11,757,111
Primary Metal	3	37	\$630,173	Auto Repair Services	81	303	\$5,313,111
Fabricated Metal	8	42	\$486,047	Miscellaneous Repair Services	37	133	\$2,467,111
Nonelectrical Machinery**	11	73	\$1,852,745	Motion Pictures	19	166	\$2,352,111
Electronic & Other Electrical Equipment	9	109	\$2,296,862	Amusement & Recreation	82	818	\$7,118,111
Transportation Equipment	6	23	\$545,838	Health Services	125	1,289	\$33,226,111
Instruments	8	111	\$3,194,596	Legal Services	51	169	\$5,802,111
Miscellaneous Manufacturing	12	505	\$12,044,359	Educational Services	15	87	\$1,162,111
TRANS., COMMUN., UTILITIES	110	1,088	\$26,958,148	Social Services	70	707	\$7,384,111
Local Transportation	8	132	\$1,245,480	Membership Organizations	42	155	\$2,499,111
Trucking-Warehousing	44	372	\$8,567,588	Engineering Services	187	725	\$22,460,111
Air Transportation	12	172	\$4,519,857	Private Households	31	41	\$336,111
Transport Services	17	105	\$2,356,974	Miscellaneous Services	5	8	\$121,111
Communication	16	158	\$4,873,239	NONCLASSIFIABLE	3	9	\$168,111
Elec., Gas, Sanitation	11	146	\$5,593,230	GOVERNMENT	111	5,813	\$149,803,111
WHOLESALE TRADE	161	1,317	\$33,080,684	State	17	3,207	\$83,999,111
Durable Goods	93	912	\$23,498,361	Local	53	2,063	\$45,448,111
				Federal	41	542	\$20,155,111

Source: Montana Department of Labor & Industry, Office of Research & Analysis. (Totals may not add due to nondisclosure of confidential industry data or to rounding.)

\*Employment Covered by Unemployment Insurance

\*\*Industrial & Commercial Machinery & Computer Equipment

## Per Capita Personal Income

	1970	1980	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
Montana	\$3,558	\$8,842	\$15,067	\$16,005	\$16,618	\$17,709	\$17,709	\$18,602	\$19,278
% of National Average	87%	88%	79%	81%	81%	83%	80%	80%	79%
Gallatin County	\$3,076	\$8,031	\$15,331	\$16,322	\$17,053	\$17,932	\$18,600	\$19,861	\$20,988
% of National Average	75%	80%	80%	83%	83%	84%	84%	85%	86%

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce Bureau of Economic Analysis, Regional Economic Information System. Released May 1998

**PLEASE NOTE:** Because of time and budget constraints, we are only able to update our county flyers periodically. Individual tables are updated on a more frequent basis. You can call us if you'd like the most current information for a particular county. The *Annual Averages for County Employment By Industry* are updated annually, usually in June. The *Top Employer* are updated annually. *Per Capita Income* statewide is usually released late spring and county data around August each year. *Population data for Montana* is usually released in March and county data may be released at a different time. The *Annual Average Labor Force information* is benchmarked annually and numbers available before March. The other tables contain Census information and will be updated every 10 years. You can also look for more current information on our website listed on the front of this publication.

## Summary of Major Occupational Categories By Sex

### 1990 Census-Equal Employment Opportunity Data

#### *Civilian Labor Force-All Persons*

Occupation	Total	Male	Female
<b>TOTAL</b>	26,541	14,560	11,981
<b>Managerial and Professional Specialty Occupations</b>	7,149	3,989	3,160
Executive, Administrative and Managerial Occupations	2,814	1,622	1,192
Professional Specialty Occupations	4,335	2,367	1,968
<b>Technical, Sales and Administrative Support Occupations</b>	7,973	3,077	4,896
Technicians and Related Support Occupations	816	483	333
Sales Occupations	3,445	1,881	1,564
Administrative Support Occupations, Including Clerical	3,712	713	2,999
<b>Service Occupations</b>	4,334	1,567	2,767
Private Household Occupations	124	0	124
Protective Service Occupations	280	197	83
Service Occupations, Except Protective and Household	3,930	1,370	2,560
<b>Farming, Forestry, Fishing</b>	1,441	1,117	324
<b>Precision Production, Craft and Repair Occupations</b>	2,673	2,429	244
Mechanics and Repairers	866	831	35
Construction Trade	1,182	1,136	46
Extractive Occupations	24	24	0
Precision Production Occupations	601	438	163
<b>Operators, Fabricators and Laborers</b>	2,889	2,322	567
Machine Operators, Assemblers and Inspectors	881	650	231
Transportation and Material Moving Occupations	1,138	1,011	127
Handlers, Equipment Cleaners, Helpers and Laborers	870	661	209
<b>Unemployed, No Recent Civilian Work Experience</b>	82	59	23

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## 1990 Census of Population and Housing

### Persons by Age, Race and Sex

School Age	White		Black		American Indian		Eskimo/Aleut/ Asian or Pacific Islander		Hispanic Origin		Other Race	
	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female
5-11	5,018	2,469	9	6	90	44	37	19	87	41	17	7
12-14	1,609	859	2	2	31	22	6	6	27	15	7	6
15-17	1,685	791	3	1	26	10	6	5	29	10	7	3
18-21	5,551	2,654	26	5	77	35	44	16	76	26	19	4
Total	14,063	6,793	40	14	224	111	97	46	219	92	60	20

Working & Voting Age	White		Black		American Indian		Eskimo/Aleut/ Asian or Pacific Islander		Hispanic Origin		Other Race	
	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female
16+	38,402	18,834	63	16	409	196	339	133	419	206	108	62
16-64	33,934	16,274	61	16	398	189	333	129	402	193	106	60
18+	37,301	18,299	60	17	396	191	334	131	397	200	104	60
18-64	32,833	16,739	68	16	385	185	328	127	380	187	102	48

Other Age Group	White		Black		American Indian		Eskimo/Aleut/ Asian or Pacific Islander		Hispanic Origin		Other Race	
	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female
0-4	3,367	1,643	6	2	65	33	62	38	53	27	11	7
5-17	8,612	4,139	14	9	147	76	53	30	143	66	31	18
18-44	25,336	12,035	53	14	344	165	297	112	339	164	94	44
45-64	7,497	3,704	5	1	41	20	31	15	41	23	8	4
65+	5,386	3,044	2	2	13	7	8	5	20	14	3	2
65+	4,468	2,560	2	2	11	6	6	4	17	13	2	2
Total	49,180	24,081	80	28	608	300	449	199	593	293	146	73

Source: Census and Economic Information Center, Montana Department of Commerce, Helena, MT 59620, 406-444-2886.

# Gallatin County

County of Residence	# Who Work In Gallatin County	County of Work	# Who Live in Gallatin County
Out of State	181	Out of State	297
Broadwater County	32	Broadwater County	42
Cascade County	28	Cascade County	29
Flathead County	24	Gallatin County	23,331
Gallatin County	23,331	Lewis & Clark County	124
Jefferson County	45	Madison County	79
Lewis & Clark County	73	Missoula County	45
Madison County	237	Park County	300
Missoula County	20	Silver Bow County	32
Park County	278	Stillwater County	28
Silver Bow County	30	Yellowstone County	68
Yellowstone County	99	Other Montana Counties	124
Other Montana Counties	126		

Source: 1990 Census Data provided by the U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.